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FM AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

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AMEMBASSY PARIS

AMEMBASSY VIENTIANE

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E.O. 11652: N/A

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SUBJ: AMERICANS IN SOUTH VIET-NAM

REF: A) STATE 80142 B) BANGKOK 8519

1. AMCIT JAMES KLASSEN ARRIVED ON FRENCH EVACUATION FLIGHT FROM SAIGON APRIL 7TH WITHOUT RPT WITHOUT JOSEPH BRICKMAN, OF WHOM HE SAID HE HAD NEVER HEARD. IN BRIEF COMMENT AT AIRGA PORT, KLASSEN SAID THAT NO AMERICAN IS BEING HELD AGAINST HIS WILL IN VIET-NAM, WITH EVERYONE FREE TO LEAVE ANYTIME, HE WANTS. HE SAID HE WAS COMING OUT ON "NORMAL ROTATION".

2. KLASSEN LEFT AIRPORT ALMOST AT ONCE FOR UNKNOWN DESTINATION IN BANGKOK, IN COMPANY OF GROUP OF AMERICAN MENNONITES. WE WILL ATTEMPT TO LOCATE HIM TO PURSUE QUESTIONING RE OTHER AMERICANS IN SAIGON.
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